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NOTE FOR:

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SUBJECT: Civil Service Reform Act

Attached is the OPM proposal for Civil Service Reform that I spoke to you about today. OMB has asked for our comments by Monday. The proposal would not directly impact on the Agency's personnel initiative since the legislation would not cover the Agency. Yet, the cover letter makes clear that OPM does not look kindly on federal agencies embarking on their own experiments in creating new personnel systems.

The issue is whether to remain silent and proceed with our own initiative, or raise with OMB our own program. My inclination is not to comment since our comments back to OMB would be directed to Hilda Schreiber, a person who would not exactly be considered friendly to our proposals.

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